GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:349
ANSWERED ON:13.12.2001
PER CAPITA POWER CONSUMPTION
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the per capita power consumption in the country per day, State-wise;

(b) the position of India in the world in regard to per capita per day consumption of power; and

(c) the action being taken by the Government to increase per capita consumption of power?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SURESH P. PRABHU)

(a) to (c) : A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF STARRED QUESTION NO. 349 TO BE ANSWERED IN TH LOK SABHA ON 13.12.2001 REGARDING PER CAPITA POWER CONSUMPTION.

(a) : The per capita consumption of power in the country per day during the year 1999-2000 was 0.97 Kwh. The State-wise details of daily per capita consumption during the year 1999-2000 is enclosed at Annex-I.

(b) : The position of India as compared to some of the developed countries for the year 1996, for which data is available, is given below :

Name of the Country	Daily Per Capita consumption of electricity during 1996 (in Kwh.)
U.S.A.	32.31
France	16.68
Germany	15.33
U.K.	14.24
Japan	19.40
Italy	11.49
Russia	11.41
Sweden	39.01
Switzerland	18.95
India	0.97

(c) : Apart from increasing capacity of existing plants through Renovation & Modernisation, addition to new capacity during Ninth Plan would increase the per capita consumption in the country. The likely capacity addition during Ninth Plan is around 19000 MW. It is estimated that to meet the demand during 10th and 11th Plans, an incremental capacity addition of around 1,00,000 MW would be required.

ANNEX-I

ANNEXE REFERRED TO IN PART (a) OF THE STATEMENT LAID IN REPLY TO STARRED QUESTION NO. 349 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 13.12.2001 REGARDING PER CAPITA POWER CONSUMPTION.

DAILY PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION OF ELECTRICITY (UTILITIES +NON UTILITIES)

(Fig. in Kwh)

Region	Name of State/UTs	1999-2000
Northern Region	Haryana	1.45
	H.P	0.93
	J&K	0.73
	Punjab	2.52
	Rajasthan	0.92
	U.P	0.48
	Chandigarh	2.26
	Delhi	1.79
Western Region	Gujarat	2.29
	M.P	0.96
	Maharashtra	1.43
	Goa	1.92
	Daman&Diu	10.76
	D&N Haveli	10.64
Southern Region	A.P	1.14
	Karnataka	0.97
	Kerala	0.87
	T.N	1.45
	Pondicherry	3.15
	Lakshadweep	0.67
Eastern Region	Bihar	0.38
	Orissa	0.94
	West Bengal	0.58
	A&N Islands	0.61
	Sikkim	0.53
N.E. Region	Assam	0.26
	Manipur	0.19
	Meghalaya	0.44
	Nagaland	0.23
	Tripura	0.26
	Ar.Pradesh	0.19
	Mizoram	0.33
	ALL INDIA	0.97